

## PEACEFUL PROSPECTS

**Soldiers Coming Back  
from the Sioux War.**

**COSTLY FIRE IN PHILADELPHIA.**

**Wintry Weather and Hungry  
Wolves in France.**

**Conflicting News About the  
St. Paul Strike.**

**Peace in Prospect.**

By Associated Press.  
PINE RIDGE (S. D.), Jan. 17.—The council between the friendly and hostile Indians has tended to quiet the anxiety of many of the white people and assure the Indians that their fear of being massacred by the soldiers is without foundation. Everybody today seems to feel that the trouble has been brought to a close.

Up to noon today seventy-one guns were turned in by the hostiles. More weapons are expected to-morrow. Today an order was issued directing the Seventh Infantry, Captain Meriam, which has been serving on Cherry creek and the lower Cheyenne river, near Standing Rock Agency, to return to its post at Fort Logan, Denver. Rodney's battery has been ordered back to Fort Riley. Colonel Sumner's command, comprising the Eighth Cavalry and third Infantry, has been ordered to return to Fort Meade.

It has also been decided that the Sixth Cavalry, comprising nine troops of five hundred men, will hereafter be located in the Department of the Platte, with headquarters at Fort Niobrara. The cavalry force at Fort Robinson is also to be increased, and it is expected that the new order of affairs will tend to the rehabilitation of Fort McKinney, at which there are now only two troops of the Ninth Cavalry under the command of Colonel Henry.

This strengthening of the force of cavalry along the reservation is intended as a safeguard and to revive the confidence of the people who have long been in danger of Indian outbreaks.

The question is now being discussed of allowing the members of the First Infantry, under Colonel Shafter, who feel so disposed, to remain in this department.

The Indian camp is quiet to-day, and another council will be held this afternoon to consider the separation of the tribes.

**Severe Weather.**

By Cable and Associated Press.  
PARIS, Jan. 17.—Heavy snow storms are reported from Bordeaux and Périgueux and traffic of all kinds in those cities and surrounding regions is at a standstill. In the department of Dordogne all the rivers are frozen over, and wolves are ravaging the sheep-pens in the village of Pontarlar and the farms about it which are completely isolated. Several deaths by freezing have been reported by the department of Cher.

**A Banker Arrested.**

By Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Banker Edward H. Horner, indicted by the Grand Jury of the Southern District of Illinois on the charge of violating the new postoffice lottery law, was taken before the District Court here. Horner's counsel argued that their client cannot be arrested for a crime committed in Illinois when he is a resident of New York and not in Illinois at the time the alleged offense was committed.

**Fire Losses.**

By Associated Press.  
PHILADELPHIA, January 17.—The loss by the fire at Dobson's carpet mills last night can only be approximated this morning. It is thought it will amount to between a million and a quarter and a million and three-quarters of dollars. On this there is an insurance of one million of dollars.

Nearly 3500 employees are thrown out of work.

**Irish Interests.**

By Cable and Associated Press.  
DUBLIN, Jan. 17.—It is announced that in the event of John Dillon being selected as a new leader of the Irish Parliamentary party, William O'Brien will return to the United States and resume the work which was interrupted by the recent complications in Irish affairs.

**Weather Report.**

Special to the GAZETTE.  
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—The forecast is fair weather, except light rain in extreme Northern California.

## Traffic Managers Disagree.

By Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—The traffic managers of the Western roads have proved unequal to the task of establishing territorial divisions for the Western Traffic Association. They were in session for three hours this morning, and got no further than an informal discussion of the subject. The reason yesterday for not accomplishing the work was that the Great Northern road was not represented.

To-day President Hill and Traffic Manager Shelby were both in attendance, and yet it was impossible to make any material progress. Every effort to reach an agreement on the material points of territorial boundary lines met with objections. The upshot of the whole discussion was, the matter was referred to the Commissioners Association of Traffic Managers, and adjourned their meeting in disgust.

They are all practical railroad men who have worked themselves up to their positions by actual experience in business, and not a few were frank enough to express their opinion that the Presidents' financial backers of the roads are visionary theorists whose ideas could not be carried into effect.

**The St. Paul Strike.**

By Associated Press.  
MILWAUKEE, Jan. 17.—Superintendent Collins says this morning that there are no new developments in the strike except that about a dozen telegraphers employed on Prairie Du Chien, LaCrosse, and the northern divisions of the St. Paul road quit work last night. He says that Chief Operator Thurston, of the Order of Railway Telegraphers, is deceiving the strikers in regard to the number of men who have quit work, and that the trouble is not so extensive as he represents.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—The striking telegraphers on the St. Paul road claim to be gaining ground, and that fifty more men left work at noon today. Chief Thurston says the road is running passenger trains on comparatively good time, but freights are greatly impeded. General Manager Farling says there is no strike, that only seventy-two men went out, and that their places are filled. As the strikers show letters and telegrams from 350 men who have gone out, it is evident the managers are not well posted.

**To-Day's Races.**

By Associated Press.  
GUTTENBERG, Jan. 17.—First race—Chancellor, first; Cauplin, second; Chapman, third; time, 1:19.

Second race—seven furlongs—Brussels, first; Lizzie, second; Kimberly, third; time, 1:33.

Third race—mile and a quarter—Supervisor, first; Success, third; Wynwood, third; time, 2:16.

Fourth race—nine-sixteenths of a mile—Bonnie, first; King, second; Reparte, third; Ledgerton, fourth; time, 1:02.

Fifth race—fifteen-sixteenths of a mile—Slumber, first; Amour, second; Mackenzie, third; time, 1:44.

Sixth race—eleven-sixteenths of a mile—India Rubber, first; Mabel, second; Orton, third; time, 1:29.

**Suffering Kansas.**

By Associated Press.  
TOPEKA (Kan.), Jan. 17.—The House this morning passed the Senate resolution providing for a supply of coal to be sent to the destitute people of Northwestern Kansas from the penitentiary coal mines.

There is nothing in the report that the Senate will adjourn sine die to prevent the election of a United States Senator.

**New York Stocks.**

By Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—The stock market this morning was quiet and dull. Later, advances were scored in many leading stocks. The most prominent were the new sugar stocks, Union Pacific and Villard's. The close was active and strong, at the highest prices of the day.

**Dye House Burned.**

By Associated Press.  
PALMER (Mass.), Jan. 17.—The main part of the dye house, of the Palmer Mills of the Otis Company at Three Rivers was burned this morning and two employees, Elijah Foss and Joseph Babcock, perished. Loss on mill, \$20,000.

**Rebels Subduing.**

By Cable and Associated Press.  
LONDON, Jan. 17.—The latest advices from Buenos Ayres are of a more peaceful character than yesterday. The rebels assembled in the province of Entre Rios are disarming, and the alarm caused by the outbreak is rapidly subsiding.

**More Ghost Dancing.**

By Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—A special from Coolee City, Washington, says the Okanogan Indians, near Ruby City, are dancing, and the inhabitants are expecting an attack from them at any time.

## SENATORS SULKY.

**An All Night Session,  
and Many Absent.**

**ELECTIONS BILL AMENDED.**

**Faulkner Not Fatigued After  
Twelve Hours.**

**Senator Stewart's Sensible  
Amendment.**

**Congressional Matters.**

By Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—At 9:30 A. M. the Senate was still in session, but without a quorum. The hours between 2 and 5:20 A. M. were spent in waiting for a quorum which did not come; at the latter hour the Sergeant-at-Arms reported in writing the success or failure of his visits to the Senators. One of those reports stated that Senators Berry and Butler were in the cloak-room and that the former stated that he would come in when he got ready, and the latter refused to obey the summons.

The appearance of George at 5:45 completed the quorum on roll call, and Faulkner made another start in his speech against the bill, although there were not twenty Senators within hearing of his voice. At 6 o'clock Gorman made another effort to close the day's session, but his motion was defeated on a yeas and no votes. As the vote showed no quorum present, the Senate found itself again in the same endless round on which it had been revolving for the last six hours.

At 7:30 o'clock, when there were five Democrats on the floor and one Republican (Casey), Daniel rose and moved an adjournment. The move did not succeed, however, for Casey rushed into the cloak-room and obtained allies, and the motion was declared lost. After that there was another lull until 9:30, when a quorum having appeared, Faulkner proceeded with his remarks. He concluded at 10:30 having held the floor for almost twelve hours.

Stewart has given notice of a motion to recommit the elections bill, with instructions to the committee to report it back with a provision for the election of members of Congress on days when no other elections are held in the several States.

The Senate to-day found itself no further advanced toward final action upon the elections bill than when it entered upon its consideration at the beginning of the present session. The stubborn fact still confronts the friends of the bill that they must secure a Republican quorum before progress can be made. At present 44 Republican Senators are in Washington, or one less than a quorum. Supposing the Republicans who are numbered with them attend and vote, whether they vote for or against the bill and its supporting propositions, is not an important question; their votes, one way or the other are desired in order to make a quorum in case it is decided to call up the closure resolution.

The Republican absentees are seven in number. They are Messrs. Blair, Chandler, Farwell, Moody, Pierce, Pettigrew and Squire. Senatorial contests, in which the three first-named Senators are interested, have been practically settled by caucus action, so they may be expected in Washington in a short time to make the necessary quorum. Ingalls was reported sick abed.

It is not clear how the proposition made by Senator Stewart this morning to recommit the elections bill can come before the Senate as long as the present plan is kept in operation. It must, under the rule, lie over for a day.

The Senate has rejected the amendment offered, by a vote of 32 to 25, Teller, Wolcott, Washburn and Stanford voting with their Republican colleagues, leaving the Democratic vote a strict party one. The Republican majority is determined to adjourn about 3 o'clock until Monday at that time. The continuous session had lasted thirty hours, a session unprecedented in length for many years. Meanwhile an effort is being made to have a caucus Monday night to determine the further order of procedure.

**Waterman's Suit.**

Special to the GAZETTE.  
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Ex-Governor Waterman is the plaintiff in the suit filed to-day against Joseph Britton to recover \$25,000 damages for slander. He avers that in December, 1890, he pardoned one Miller, who was serving a life sentence in the State Prison for murder, and on the 20th inst. plaintiff claims that Britton intimated that money had been used to procure the pardon.

## Samoa News.

By Cable and Associated Press.

APIA (Samoa), Jan. 17.—Per steamship Zelandia.—The long-expected Chief Justice of Samoa, Mr. Cederkrantz, has arrived. The steamship Alameda was anchored off the island on the night of December 30th, and Seumann, in the boat presented to him by the United States Government, put off, accompanied by seven other boats, to meet him. Chief Justice Cederkrantz landed, through a misunderstanding, at another wharf than the one at which he was expected, and passed the night at the house of Mr. Metzler, a countryman of his. On the following day Seumann's boat, with a crew of twelve, went to Mantafele and brought the Chief Justice to Apia. He was met by three consuls and a guard of honor. Samoans, under command of Asi, the Chief Justice, with his Secretary, and Lieutenant Uesapare proceeded to the King's house, accompanied by the consuls. Nearly the whole white population of Apia turned out and greeted the Chief Justice with hearty cheers. King Malietoa met the party and conducted them inside his house, where he welcomed Justice Cederkrantz and expressed the pleasure of the Samoans at his arrival.

The Chief Justice in replying said he was gratified at his reception and that his desire was for peace and good order in all Samoa. After the reception by the King, Justice Cederkrantz was presented with an address by the reception committee of citizens, expressing the belief that with his arrival and establishment of the Supreme court for Samoa, an era of security and stable government began for the islands. At the end of the ceremonies, the Chief Justice was conducted to his residence at Matafele.

On New Year's day he was visited by the German gunboat, Liepzig, and was saluted with line guns. The Consuls have arranged that each district in the islands shall send its Representatives to pay his respects to the Chief Justice separately, believing it injudicious to allow a large number of natives, who have lately been opposed to each other, to congregate at one time. The English residents are dissatisfied that no English man-of-war is present at the islands. America and Germany are both represented.

The Iroquois returned to Apia January 2d, after waiting outside about one week, expecting to meet the Alameda and convey the Chief Justice to port. The Alameda, however, came here direct. At Pago Pago several days ago two men from the Iroquois swam ashore at night and started playing cards. In the morning one of them, named Barron, returned to the vessel, saying he left his companion on shore. The latter's name was Powell, and he was coxswain of the captain's gig. He was well known here, having been one of the crew of Admiral Kimberly's barge. Two days later his body was observed floating by the ship and it was picked up. The arms were cut off at the shoulders, the legs cut off at the hips and the head was also cut off. But from marks on the body the remains were identified as those of Powell. The surgeon stated that the murderer had been skillful in the use of his knife. Suspicion fell upon Barron and he was placed in custody. A full investigation will be made shortly.

**Electric Suits.**

By Associated Press.  
PITTSBURG (Pa.), Jan. 17.—Suit entered in the United States Circuit Court by the Cowles Electric Smelting Aluminum Company of New York against the Pittsburgh Reduction Company, which charged the latter company with infringing on four different patents belonging to the complainant company, and the Court was asked to restrain the respondents until the matter can be determined. The infringements include improvements in electric processes of smelting ore, for producing alloys, bronzes and metallic compounds, electric furnace and methods for operating the same, and two improvements on the furnace. The time has not been fixed for argument on the motion for an injunction.

**The Stewart Institute.**

By Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The Commissioner of Indian Affairs has issued an order naming the Indian training school at Carson, Nev., "The Stewart Institute," in honor of Senator William M. Stewart, who secured its establishment.

**Colorado Quiet.**

By Associated Press.  
DENVER, Jan. 17.—There is but little excitement to-day over the legislative row. The hall is still in possession of the Pinkertons and Deputy Sheriffs. The probabilities are that a compromise will be effected next week.

**Passenger Committee Adjourns.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—The Passenger Committee of the Transcontinental Association have adjourned sine die and have deferred action until they meet in Chicago on the 20th inst.

## Duel With Knives.

By Associated Press.

CARLOTTE (N. C.), Jan. 17.—One of the bloodiest duels ever fought with knives took place yesterday afternoon eight miles from Morgantown. For some time past Joe Harris, a young man of some prominence, suspected that John Aiken was too intimate with his wife. Harris, seeing that Aiken did not heed the warnings given him, grew desperate and swore he would kill Aiken on sight. Yesterday afternoon they met in a public road near Morgantown. Harris informed Aiken that one or the other must die; that he had put up with his conduct as long as he could. Aiken tried to explain that he had done nothing to be ashamed of, and that the criminal intimacy reported to exist was nothing but gossip. Harris then told Aiken to prepare himself, at the same time drawing from his pocket a long-bladed knife with which he made a desperate plunge at Aiken. But Aiken was on his guard, and before Harris could make a second effort Aiken thrust his knife up to the handle in Harris' heart. The affair caused an unusual amount of excitement, and a search party has gone out to capture the victor in the duel.

**Newspaper Changes.**

Special to the GAZETTE.  
MERCED, Jan. 17.—To-day the Merced Argus and Journal each published vaudeville, the plants having been purchased by Rogers & Radcliffe, who will begin the publication of the Merced Daily Sun on Monday next.

**McGregor Held.**

Special to the GAZETTE.  
OAKLAND, (Cal.), Jan. 17.—Preliminary examination resulted in Robert McGregor, being held without bonds to answer for murder of C. S. Samuels January 12.

**TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.**

Bar silver 105 3/4.  
The steamer Celtic has arrived at New York from Liverpool.

**San Francisco Meat Market.**

The following are the rates for whole carcasses from slaughterers to dealers in San Francisco:  
BEEF—First quality, 6c; second quality 5 1/2c; third quality, 4 1/2c @ 5c @ lb.  
VEAL—Quotable at 5 1/2c for large and 6c @ 8c @ lb for small.  
MUTTON—Quotable at 5 1/2c @ 6c @ lb.  
LAMB—Spring, 15c; Fall, 16c @ lb.  
PORK—Live Hogs, on foot, grain fed, heavy, 4 1/2c @ 4 3/4c; dressed Hogs 7 1/2c @ 8c @ lb.

**Dry Goods at Auction.**

Mr. M. S. Lowell offers his fine stock of dry and fancy goods at auction, commencing January 19th at 2 and 6 o'clock P. M. Go and secure bargains. All goods first-class.

"Taxpayer's" answer to the GAZETTE's question is left out for the want of a proper signature.

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A very important matter to be considered by the Nevada Legislature will be provision for the support of the State University. Its only legitimate source of revenue, coming from the State, is derived from the interest on deferred land payments to the two land grant funds, and from the interest from bonds held in security by those funds. As shown by the report of ex-Controller Hallock for 1890, the total amount derived from these sources was \$4,943.22. To support the University during the coming two years the sum of \$20,000 will be asked for, in addition to \$38,000 that will come from the United States, besides \$30,000 from the same source to maintain the Experimental Station. The Controller recommends the levy of a special tax of one mill on the hundred dollars to provide for the deficit, and says: "But as the proceeds of this tax cannot become available before the time fixed for the collection of taxes at the close of the year 1891, some provision must be made for the current year." He further recommends the transfer of \$38,706.11 from the irreducible State school fund to the general school fund, subject to appropriation for the support of the University.

Therein we think he is wrong, for as long as many of the district schools of the State are distressed for money to keep them open during the time required by the law, and so long as nearly all of them are only kept open by levying special district taxes, it will be unjust to deprive them of any part of the only revenue they have to favor the University, which is already liberally provided for. Our object in the above is to call attention to the fact that the legitimate revenue for the University last year was only \$4,943.22, with no prospect of it being any greater this year, and with a demand for an appropriation of \$20,000 to support it during the coming two years. In other words, a deficit of over \$10,000 will occur, and one-half of that during this year and before the special tax (if authorized by the Legislature) can be collected. It would be better to devise some other plan, especially as retrenchment is the watchword.

Another scheme is on foot to increase the number of Regents for the University, in order, it is said, to handle the Government appropriation of \$15,000 advantageously. [RENO GAZETTE.]

The number will not be increased, unless the Board of Trade so wills it, and unless the Board intends to find a place for some one of their members, the number of Regents of the State University will still remain three. The editor of the GAZETTE knows where that \$15,000 is going, and just who is going to handle it, as he is Secretary of the Board. [Silver State.]

How the managers of a paper that heretofore has been a respectable journal, can afford to make it the medium of such vile misrepresentation as the above, the GAZETTE is at a loss to know. Winnemucca would be a good place to start a darning infirmary.

A DISPATCH published in another column, from Francis G. Newlands, who has done as much for free coinage as any one Senator or Representative in Congress, conveys the impression that the bill will shortly become a law. This is good news for all of the Western States and Territories, for it gives us a new lease of life, and the feverish unrest that has been manifest so long will give way to a more even and full public pulse, and confidence in Nevada will be very materially strengthened. An increase in the money volume of the nation is what we want, and free coinage does it.

The advocates of the theory that protection fosters trusts will have to stretch it considerably to make it fit the case of the new rubber combination which proposes to corner all the rubber in the world, for rubber is admitted free of duty.

# The State Prison Factory.

One of the most important matters to be considered by the Legislature of Nevada at its coming session, is the boot and shoe manufactory at the State Prison. It has been a continual source of loss to the State ever since it was started, and as the years roll by it gets worse, and has really become a farce, if not a fraud, as is clearly shown by the report of ex-Controller Hallock. He clearly shows that the net loss during the years 1889-90 was \$2,112.47, and that of the accounts outstanding and due the State for manufactured boots and shoes sold on credit to the amount of \$28,733.92, the sum of \$26,142.68 is utterly worthless. These worthless accounts have heretofore been credited, in the reports from the manufactory, for the purpose of making it appear that it was on a flourishing basis, when it was an admitted fact by every one familiar with its workings, that the accounts referred were worthless from the day of their creation. Even now, in order to make a presentable showing, the factory is credited with an inventory of stock and tools to the amount of \$7,225.35, which, if put up under the hammer, would not sell for more than so much garbage or old junk. The appropriation for 1889-90 was \$15,000, and the total amount of the collections made during the time was only \$3,434; the boots and shoes furnished convicts amounted to \$1,123.50, and the outstanding credits were only \$674.21, showing that the total business done amounted to \$5,231.80 on a cash capital of \$15,000, assisted by tools and stock valued at \$6,672.91, and labor that cost nothing. The consequential damages done to free labor, in the maintenance of this so-called industry of the State, need not be commented on. The fact is patent that it is a losing proposition, and a burden to the people that can be easily dispensed with, and save further losses. In fact it has been a disgrace to the State ever since it started, and the only ones ever benefited have been the dealers in California who furnished the raw stock at prices which enriched them and impoverished us.

## SWEET VIOLETS.

They Have Always Been Popular and Are So Still.

Violets in every shade and almost every shape are being worn on every occasion. Never before has this sweet little flower been such a favorite. It is worn in the morning, in the afternoon and at night, in the button hole of the riding habit and on the corsage of the dress; it surrounds long court trains in thick garlands, it encircles white throats and adorns dark and fair hair. What blossom, says the New York Tribune, can ever endear itself to women as this modest, fragrant little one does, this flower of legend, which, if tradition is to be believed, was once a damsel sweet and lovely? The violet was long, long ago, lanthe, a favorite nymph of Artemis. Apollo fell in love with her, and the goddess, wishing to protect her from the gods' pursuit, dyed her blue, lanthe, however, pinned and fretted at the loss of her beauty to such an extent that Artemis, regretful at her mistaken interference, changed her into a violet, to put an end to her torment. The old poets say also that Jupiter caused the violets to grow as food for Io while she wandered on the face of the earth in the form of a heifer. Many more legends surround the violet as with a halo of poetry. It is said to have been the sweetest of all the flowers of Eden; Calypso, it is alleged, was, born in beds of violet blue; and in ancient days garlands of violets placed on the brow were considered a cure for headache and dizziness. It has been often the emblem of royalty and was also the Napoleonic flower. It has been mentioned by Homer as the loveliest of blossoms, and it nestled in fragrant banks against Pliny's villa at Rome.

In Paris the advent of the street violet-seller is hailed joyfully by the rich and poor, who alike delight in the penetrating freshness of the life-giving perfume. It is the favorite flower of Empress Eugenie, as it was that of Emperor Frederick of Prussia, and of the murdered Czar Alexander II. Shortly after the fearful death of the Prince Imperial in Zululand, Queen Victoria sent Empress Eugenie a miniature of her dead son, in a frame of violets made of amethysts imbedded in emerald leaves. In the fourteenth century Clemence-Isaure, when separated from her troublesome lover sent him a violet in token of her constancy; and the blossoms are associated with the last sad thoughts gathered around the burial of poor mad Ophelia.

Lay her in the earth  
And from her fair and unspooled tress  
May violets spring!

In the south of France great fields of violets, white, purple and blue, fill the air with overpowering perfume, and nothing can equal the beauty of these far-stretching carpets of velvety flowers framed by tall hedges of arbutus and aloes under the azure southern sky.

## Even-Handed Justice.

Justice—You are charged with committing an assault on this man and blinding his eye. What have you to say, sir?

Gentlemen—Your honor, my wife lost a pet dog, and I caught this fellow bringing it back.

Justice—You are discharged; but as black eye, the next time you steal a lady's dog and don't keep it, I'll send you up for six months.—N. Y. Weekly.

# WOMEN MADE GRACEFUL.

## Physical Training for the Fair Sex.

Every Lady Can Turn Her Own Room Into a Gymnasium and Acquire Strength and Grace Without a Teacher.

Gymnastic training for women is becoming fashionable in America, as it has been for some time in Europe. At first clubs and dumb-bells were in vogue and young girls developed their muscles in the same way as men and with like effects. The result of this development of muscularity, says the Chicago Evening Post, was by no means satisfactory. Girls became strong and healthy, but lost in grace and feminine bearing, and after a few years of married life they showed a tendency to beefy stoutness that was the reverse of charming. This produced a reaction and it was found that masculine exercises are unsuited to women.

Now a new kind of physical training for women is coming into vogue, and it has the advantage of not requiring a teacher or attendance at a gymnasium. Every girl can practice in her own room. The preliminary preparation is a breathing exercise. The girl stands erect with heels together, head well thrown back and arms straight down by the sides. Then a long breath is drawn, inflating the lungs thoroughly. This will start the circulation and will prepare the body for other exercises. It should be done with the windows open, so that the air of the room may be pure.

The next is a head exercise and is done while standing in the same position. This is done by bending the head slowly forward and back and to the sides and then quickly around as far as possible from both sides. Girls with plim necks will find this exercise very useful. It develops every muscle of the neck and chest and gives a grace and mobility to the motions of the neck which show to great advantage. This is a favorite exercise with actresses and society ladies whose dress exposes the neck.

For strengthening, broadening and developing the chest and shoulders there are a number of exercises. First, in the same old position, the arm is brought, with the hand open and without bending the elbow, around by the side of the head and body in a circular or cartwheel motion. This is done as rapidly as possible, always being careful not to let the elbow bend. This is very good for girls who are what is known as "hollow chested."

Another chest exercise is done by bringing the closed hands rapidly up to the chest, palms out, and exhaling at the same time. This is also good for the muscles of the arm. Another is to take a stick of some kind, an old broom handle, umbrella, any thing that is handy, try bringing it up over the head and down behind, keeping the arms perfectly rigid.

There are two exercises which are used a great deal for the back and lower limbs, one of which is done by trying without bending the knees to touch the tips of the fingers to the floor. This is the one athletic exercise in which woman exhibits her superiority over man. The second one is done by trying to rise from a sitting position on the floor without touching the hands to the floor, using one foot only. The exercise counts all the patent pads on the continent as a hip developer.

One more exercise may be recommended which must be gone through carefully. Take a chair, use it for supporting the hands, which you will have to place quite far apart, stand as far back as your arms will permit and bring the body down until the chest rests on the chair. Then send it back again. This gives action to the muscles of the arm and forearm, to chest and back, to the neck and, in short, is an exercise for the whole body.

Ten minutes' work in the morning and ten at night are sufficient. When the exercises for the day are over a crash or Turkish towel should be taken and the body rubbed until the blood is well started and the system in a glow.

## RELICS OF OLD LONDON.

Discovery of the Roman Wall of the Middle Ages.

The recent excavations for the new post-office in St. Martin's-le-Grand, says the London Times, have led to the discovery not only of by far the most perfect piece of the Roman wall laid bare in recent times, but also of a complete outline of the old town ditch, which defended London during the middle ages.

It is difficult to draw for ourselves now a picture of London as a walled town washed by a broad moat. Wall and fosse are now in the very heart of the county of London. Not only so, but the town has covered them in and grown over them. From the present street level to the footings of the old Roman wall, the level of the old moat, is about eight feet and a half. The accumulations of centuries have buried the defenses of the city out of sight, and it needs an owner more anxious than usual to make the most of his property to bring to light the hidden history of the place.

It is curious that the enormous value of city land for commercial purposes, and the burrowing into the bowels of the earth thereby occasioned, should lead to the disinterment of relics of London of the Roman period and of the middle ages.

## Banana Pipes.

Mr. Stanley's expedition has brought to light some curious specimens of pipes from equatorial Africa. Surgeon Park has made careful drawings of them. The simplest specimen of a rough and ready pipe is that used by the natives of the Aruwimi and Ituri forests. Its stem is a perforated banana stock. The bowl is a banana leaf rolled up into a funnel, like a grocer's paper, and inserted into a hole cut into the stem.

## A Baby Target Alarm.

A Brooklyn baby belonging to a rich family set up a great squalling at one o'clock in the morning, and when the family had turned out to hunt for paragon it was discovered that burglars had packed up six thousand dollars worth of stuff and were ready to leave with it. Baby's yells frightened them away, and the threatened spanking was turned into a laughing matter.

# MISCELLANEOUS.

## The Druggists

In Lowell, Mass., agree in saying that they sell more of Hood's Sarsaparilla than all other blood purifiers. For instance: F. C. Goodale: I sell more of Hood's Sarsaparilla than all other blood purifiers. A. W. Dows & Co.: Hood's takes the lead of all other Sarsaparillas.

O. F. Blanchard: We sell more of Hood's Sarsaparilla than of any other. MARSTON & SHAW: With us the sale of Hood's is 10 to 1 of any other kind. F. & E. Bailey & Co.: Hood's Sarsaparilla is one of the best medicines.

CARLTON & HOVEY: Hood's Sarsaparilla is one of the best medicines we have. Its sale increases every year.

F. P. Moody: We sell twice as much of Hood's Sarsaparilla as of anything similar. C. A. Swan: Hood's is the most popular Sarsaparilla of the day.

Trustworthy druggists speak similarly. This popularity at home, where Hood's Sarsaparilla and its proprietors have been known for many years, could not continue if the medicine did not possess merit. And these facts should certainly convince people in other sections of the country that Hood's Sarsaparilla is a good, reliable medicine.

## Hood's Sarsaparilla

Sold by druggists, \$1; six for \$5. Prepared only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

100 Doses One Dollar



HEADACHE!

Of any kind or from any cause CURED in from 3 to 30 minutes with certainty and safety by the use of

Rev. J. W. PENNELL'S CELEBRATED TONIC CEPHALINE!

Satisfaction Guaranteed or Money Refunded.

Get your druggist does not keep it, send ten cents for a trial bottle, or one dollar for full size, by mail free to

California Cephaline Company, Reno, Nevada.

1875. 1891.

## Anniversary Ball,

Amity Lodge, No. 8, K. of P.

JANUARY 30, 1891.

In commemoration of the 15th Anniversary.

COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS.

H. B. Rule, J. F. Aiken, L. J. Cohn, J. O. Sessions, S. J. Hodgkinson.

INVITATION COMMITTEE.

Members of Amity Lodge.

Floor Director, S. J. Hodgkinson

MANAGERS,

H. B. Rule, J. F. Aiken, J. O. Sessions, N. W. Coffin, G. E. Hyman, B. M. Coffin, H. J. Thyes.

RECEPTION COMMITTEE.

J. F. Aiken, C. W. Jones, C. D. Williams, C. A. Jones, S. Stanaway.

TICKETS, Admitting Gentleman and Ladies, \$1.50.

On sale at Hodgkinson's Drug Store, Jan 30th.

—GRAND—

## Masquerade Ball!

To be given by

VERDI MILL BOYS,

—On—

Friday, February 6th, 1891

IN VERDI TOWN HALL.

COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS.

J. Montz, E. DeKany, E. O. Burns, K. Coats, C. Conkey.

Floor Director, - O. M. Cota.

FLOOR MANAGERS,

F. Burns, C. R. Van Couter.

Tickets, -- \$1.00.

## TRUCKEE MARKET!

W. S. BAILEY, Prop.

Wholesale and Retail Butcher.

FRESH BEEF, MUTTON, PORK, VEAL and sausage constantly on hand.

Ham, Bacon and Smoked Beef a specialty.

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Wholesale and Retail Dealers in—

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FINE TEAS AND COFFEES,

Vegetables, Fish and Oysters

In season.

FRUITS OF ALL KINDS.

Wines, Liquors, Cigars, Tobacco, Crockery.

We carry a fine assortment of FANCY GROCERIES.

Commercial Row, Reno, Nevada.

# MISCELLANEOUS.

## THE PALACE

RENO'S LEADING HOTEL

Light Sunny Rooms,

Restaurant Attached,

Fine Billiard Parlor

AL WHITE, J. J. GRANT, Proprietor, Manager.

Every Attention Paid to Guests.

Reno's Popular Hotel.

THE RIVERVIEW IS OFFERING new attractions to the guests every day.

THE ROOMS are well ventilated and lighted and sunny.

THE BOARD is of the best, both in quality and quantity. The finest meats, fish and fowl in the market.

THE BAR is second to none on the coast. Give us a call and be convinced.

W. R. CHAMBERLAIN, - Manager

## THE GRAND CENTRAL.

THIS WELL-KNOWN AND POPULAR hotel is in the heart of the city.

It has 36 rooms, all well lighted and sunny, and furnished in modern style. The dining room is a home for the traveler, where he can get the very best of the market affords, and the bar is second to none in the State. Try the Grand Central once and you won't stop anywhere else.

DAN O'KEEFE, Prop.

# MISCELLANEOUS.

## ONE ENJOYS

Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, head aches and fevers and cures all bronchial and pulmonary affections. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, its many excellent qualities commend it to all. It is for sale in 50c and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists.

MANUFACTURED ONLY BY THE CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. LOUISVILLE, KY. NEW YORK, N.Y.

## To Sawmill Men.

WE INVITE PROPOSALS FOR OPERATING a sawmill by the thousand feet, on Jo Gray Creek, near Catab Station. The contractor to take the timber from the stump and deliver it in sawed lumber in a flume at the mill. The timber to be cut from Sections 7 and 18, Township 17 N., Range 18 E., as follows: Section 7, 650 acres west side of California line, Section 18, 650 acres along east side of California line. Mill will be erected as early in the spring as the season will permit, and will be on Jo Gray Creek as near to the north line of Section 7 as the ground is suitable, and will be good and substantial in every respect, with a capacity of 30,000 to 40,000 feet per day.

Bidders will satisfy us that they are competent millmen, and fully equipped to carry out their contract. Address: KIDDER & BRO., ja1gm, Park City, Utah.

## Town Property.

I HAVE VERY DESIRABLE TOWN property for sale, situated in the pleasant part of town.

Suitable for dwellings, with a commanding view, can be had at fair prices.

Also Choice Business Block.

If you wish to speculate or be and see or address: WM. THOMPSON, mch21, Reno, Nev.

## ARCADE SALOON.

H. E. DAVIS & CO., PROPRIETORS.

THIS SALOON HAS BEEN RECENTLY fitted up in the most modern style, and is presided over by Harry Davis, late of the Depot Hotel, whom everybody knows.

The Bar is Second to None

In the State, being always provided with the best of everything.

Give Mr. Davis a call, august

## Re-Opened!

I HEREBY RETURN THANKS TO MY former patrons, and desire to inform them that I have opened a shop in the same old place, and solicit a share of the public patronage.

Boots and Shoes Made to Order.

And a perfect fit guaranteed, at prices that defy competition. Repairing neatly and satisfactorily done. Give me a call.

P. J. HAGLE, Boot and Shoe Maker.

## Notice.

I AM GOING EAST FOR TWO OR three months, and the business of the Union Works will be left in the hands of my partner, Mr. A. J. Hutchinson, who will conduct the business. JOHN MICHAEL, jan17w

# MISCELLANEOUS.

## Application for a Patent.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, CARSON CITY, Nevada, December 1, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT P. E. Shannon, whose post-office address is Virginia City, Nevada, has this day filed his application for a patent for fifteen hundred linear feet of the Galena Hill Lode mine or vein, bearing gold, silver and lead, with surface ground six hundred feet in width, situated in the Galena Mining District, county of Washoe, and State of Nevada, and designated by the said notes and official plat on file in this office as for Number 38, in Township 17 N., R. 20 E., M. D. B. & M. in Nevada; said Lot No. 38 being described as follows, to wit: Field notes of P. E. Shannon, 38, Galena Hill Lode, Galena Dist., Washoe county, Nevada, beginning at a post six inches square, 4 1/2 feet long, set firmly in the ground, with a mound of earth about it 4 feet base and 2 feet high; the post is marked No. 1, U. S. No. 38, and from it the S. corner of the lot is 37 1/2 feet distant; thence from said post No. 1, S. 100° 30' W. 1500 feet to a post six inches square, 4 1/2 feet long, set firmly in the ground, with a mound of earth about it 4 feet base and 2 feet high; the post is marked No. 2, U. S. No. 38, and from it the S. corner of the lot is 37 1/2 feet distant; thence from said post No. 2, S. 100° 30' W. 1500 feet to a post six inches square, 4 1/2 feet long, set firmly in the ground, with a mound of earth about it 4 feet base and 2 feet high; the post is marked No. 3, U. S. No. 38, and from it the S. corner of the lot is 37 1/2 feet distant; thence from said post No. 3, S. 100° 30' W. 1500 feet to a post six inches square, 4 1/2 feet long, set firmly in the ground, with a mound of earth about it 4 feet base and 2 feet high; the post is marked No. 4, U. S. No. 38, and from it the S. corner of the lot is 37 1/2 feet distant; thence from said post No. 4, S. 100° 30' W. 1500 feet to a post six inches square, 4 1/2 feet long, set firmly in the ground, with a mound of earth about it 4 feet base and 2 feet high; the post is marked No. 5, U. S. No. 38, and from it the S. corner of the lot is 37 1/2 feet distant; thence from said post No. 5, S. 100° 30' W. 1500 feet to a post six inches square, 4 1/2 feet long, set firmly in the ground, with a mound of earth about it 4 feet base and 2 feet high; the post is marked No. 6, U. S. No. 38, and from it the S. corner of the lot is 37 1/2 feet distant; thence from said post No. 6, S. 100° 30' W. 1500 feet to a post six inches square, 4 1/2 feet long, set firmly in the ground, with a mound of earth about it 4 feet base and 2 feet high; the post is marked No. 7, U. S. No. 38, and from it the S. corner of the lot is 37 1/2 feet distant; thence from said post No. 7, S. 100° 30' W. 1500 feet to a post six inches square, 4 1/2 feet long, set firmly in the ground, with a mound of earth about it 4 feet base and 2 feet high; the post is marked No. 8, U. S. No. 38, and from it the S. corner of the lot is 37 1/2 feet distant; thence from said post No. 8, S. 100° 30' W. 1500 feet to a post six inches square, 4 1/2 feet long, set firmly in the ground, with a mound of earth about it 4 feet base and 2 feet high; the post is marked No. 9, U. S. No. 38, and from it the S. corner of the lot is 37 1/2 feet distant; thence from said post No. 9, S. 100° 30' W. 1500 feet to a post six inches square, 4 1/2 feet long, set firmly in the ground, with a mound of earth about it 4 feet base and 2 feet high; the post is marked No. 10, U. S. No. 38, and from it the S. corner of the lot is 37 1/2 feet distant; thence from said post No. 10, S. 100° 30' W. 1500 feet to a post six



Saturday, January 17, 1901

## TIME TABLE.

The following tables give the time of arrival and departure of passenger trains at Reno

ARRIVE.	TRAINS-C.P.	LEAVE.
10:10 p. m.	No. 1, Eastbound Ex.	10:30 p. m.
9:10 a. m.	No. 3, Eastbound Ex.	9:30 a. m.
4:25 p. m.	No. 2, Westbound Ex.	4:45 p. m.
11:40 p. m.	No. 4, Westbound Ex.	12:00 p. m.
V. & T.		
9:05 p. m.	No. 1, Virginia Ex.	9:10 a. m.
11:45 a. m.	No. 3, Local Passenger	1:45 p. m.
	No. 4, Local Passenger	
3:45 p. m.	Express and Freight	9:45 a. m.
	Express and Freight	

## Time of Arrival and Departure of Mails at Reno.

MAIL FOR	CLOSING	ARRIVES
San Francisco and Sacramento (through points)	4:00	10:10
Ogden, all eastern points	8:00	9:10
V. & T. and all southern points	8:30	9:05
San Francisco and Sacramento (through points)	12:00	11:30
Buffalo Meadows, Sheephead every Monday	12:30	
(Arrive every Saturday)	11:30	

## JOTTINGS.

Nice balmy weather, but who wants to be embayed? Go to C. A. Thurston's for a good book and read on Sunday.

It costs \$300 a year to keep an Indian and only \$375 to bury him. This is a great country for economy. And the first step is to go to C. J. Brockner for a Tancil Punch cigar.

Go to E. C. Leadbetter's for fresh eggs, three dozen for one dollar; also fresh butter and all kinds of meats, Canada sap maple syrup, figs nuts, lemons, oranges and dates. Don't forget my choice teas and coffees.

Father (gazing at his new infant). You say that baby looks like me? Nurse (authoritatively)—Sure, sir, it's the very image of you. Father (seizing his hat)—Then I'm off to a dime museum to pose as a freak, and I'll get my money out of J. J. Becker.

"I had a splendid time in my vacation this last summer. Meant just when I wanted them, cold and warm baths, and no fees for waiters or porters." "And where is this ideal place, doctor?" "Where is this ideal place, W. R. Chamberlain runs it."

Gave Them a Thorough Trial. Hon. E. A. Moore, Member of Assembly, Richmond county, N. Y., writes:

"I have two afflictions which sometimes make life a burden. One is dyspepsia, the other is rheumatism. I heard of Chamberlain's Pills, took one or two at night on an empty stomach, would cure rheumatic pains. I gave them a thorough trial for three weeks, taking one or two every night. To my delight, not only was I cured of rheumatism, but dyspepsia, costiveness and biliousness. They did not interfere with my diet or business, and I really think them an incomparable blood purifier and cathartic."

"Is this the best?" Is the question often asked, when medicine is wanted. The following are a few of the medicines of known reliability, sold by Shoemaker & Co., druggist of this place. They have many other excellent medicines, but these are worthy of special mention:

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cure of severe colds, and as a preventative for croup. Price 50 cents per bottle.

Chamberlain's Pain Balm, a general family liniment and especially valuable for rheumatism. Price 50 cents per bottle.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, the most reliable known medicine for bowel complaints. It is especially prized by persons subject to colic. It has cured many cases of chronic diarrhoea. Price 25 and 50 cents per bottle.

St. Patrick's Pills or disorders of the liver and bowels a vigorous but gentle physic that cleanses and renovates the whole system. Price 25 cts. per box.

Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment. For tetter, salt rheum, scald-head, eczema and chronic sore eyes. Price 25 cts.

## The New Discovery.

You have heard your friends and neighbors talking about it. You may yourself be one of the many who know from personal experience just how good a thing it is. I have ever tried it, you are one of its staunch friends, because the wonderful thing about it is that when once given a trial, Dr. King's New Discovery ever after holds a place in the house. If you have never used it and should be afflicted with a cough, cold, or any throat, lung or chest trouble, secure a bottle at once and give it a fair trial. It is guaranteed to give relief, or money refunded. Trial bottle free at Wm. Finner's drug store.

he question has been asked. "In what respect are St. Patrick's Pills better than any other?" Try them. You will find that they produce a pleasant cathartic effect, are more certain in their action, and that they not only physic but cleanse the whole system and regulate the liver and bowels. For sale at 25 cents per box by Shoemaker & Co.

## The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what ails you. You should heed the warning, you are taking the first step into Nervous Prostration. You need a nerve tonic, and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great nerve tonic and alterative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored and the Liver and Kidney resume healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50c, at Wm. Finner's Drug Store.

## A Progressive Merchant.

A. Nelson is progressive. He has recently laid in a very extensive stock of choice cutlery, consisting of knives of all kinds and dimensions, which he is selling at remarkably low prices. He also runs a free intelligence office, and gets most anybody a job who applies. Give him a call.

Sick headache and a sensation of oppression and dullness in the head, are very commonly produced by indigestion; morbid dependency, irregularity and over sensitivity of the nerves may, in a majority of cases, be traced to the same cause. Dr. J. H. McLean's Liver and Kidney Balm and Pills will positively cure.

The California Cephaline Co. Of Reno, Nev., has just incorporated to manufacture Rev. J. W. Pendleton's celebrated Cephaline, a specific for headache. It sells on its merits. All druggists keep it.

## HERMES.

## A Lesson in Mining and Mythology.

When I bought stock in the Hermes mine in the early days and flush times of Pioche (at the top notch, assessment unpaid, and on a pointer from Shirt Tail Perley), I supposed the name conveyed an idea of immense hidden wealth, which the greed of the Ramond & Ely managers would not permit us to enjoy. A long suit at law insured us the right, after long delay, to go for it. And how that stock tumbled is now another dim tradition of the buried past. Hidden wealth, indeed! Hermes, forsooth! The name was all well enough, only I didn't know it. Now, however, I see through the cunning of the doctors who selected this god to father that mining location. The mine managers proved to be the most accomplished and unmitigated set of thieves ever turned loose on a long-suffering community (this is the only kind of community found in Nevada mining camps). And yet the very name should have warned me, if I had been familiar with the character of the mythological god to whom it was first given. But can you expect an old Nevada stock sharp to know anything when he has dead sure pointer? Now, however, after long years of repining over that unlucky venture I learn that Hermes, this god of supposed excellent qualities, was the most accomplished cattle thief that ever lived, for he stole an entire herd before he was a day old; and within twenty-four hours after, when accused of the theft, he lied like a pirate in denying it, and swore to his denial by all the other gods, including his own father, Zeus, on top of Mt. Olympus. Such youthful depravity, for older hands managed the Hermes mine. And hereafter, when it is proper to call a man a natural born thief and liar, it can be done by simply addressing him as Mr. Hermes.

## FREE COINAGE.

Francis G. Newlands Expresses An Opinion That The People Will Be Glad To Hear.

The following telegrams explain themselves:

RENO, Jan. 15, 1890.  
To Francis G. Newlands, in care of Arlington Hotel, Washington, D. C.—What is the prospect of Stewart's Silver Bill passing the House, and what will the President do?

WASHINGTON, (D. C.), Jan. 16.  
To Allen C. Bragg, Reno, Nevada.—I think free coinage will pass the House. Opinions vary to what the President will do. His judgment and expressions are against free coinage, but his conservative views of the veto power may prevent him from vetoing.

Have caused the resolutions as to troops and military post at Reno to be presented to the Senators and Representatives and also published in papers here. FRANCIS G. NEWLANDS.

## ANATOMICALLY SPEAKING.

For The First Time This Year, But Good All The Same.

He was shot in the suburbs.—Chicago News.

She whipped him upon his return.—Burlington Hawkeye.

He kissed her passionately on her reappearance.—Time.

He kissed her back.—Atlanta Constitution.

Mr. Jones walked in upon her invitation.—Electric Light.

She seated herself on his entering.—Albia Democrat.

We thought she sat down on her being asked.—Truth.

She fainted upon his departure.—Lynn Union.

He was injured in the fracas.—Philadelphia Ledger.

He clung to her weeping.—Baltimore Item.

They gossiped upon his downfall.—Lawrence American.

Thanks, awfully. We're glad to see you're back.

## JUSTLY INDIGNANT.

The Tuscarora Guards on the War Path.

The Times-Review indignantly denies that the Tuscarora Guards or any number thereof resigned at the first intimation of Indian trouble; that the Guards were the first company in the State to offer their services to the Governor, and closes by saying: The boys feel justly indignant that such statements should obtain circulation through the press, and had the author been within short range last evening he would, while safe from bodily harm on account of age, have received tongue lashings upon all sides for his unwarranted reflections against the Tuscarora Guards.

## A CATASTROPHE.

Boston Philanthropy Gone to Waste.

Some months ago a few sentimental old maids of Boston started a refuge for homeless cats, and after getting it fully stocked with about one thousand of the dear pets, and before it had, so to speak, emerged from kittenhood, a dire catastrophe has overtaken it. The funds have given out, and now the cats are howling with hunger, and are as voracious as the starved Sioux. To disperse them it is proposed to catch and turn loose an army of rats, in sight of the cats all around the house the maids built.

## A Tin Mine.

Humboldt county with its wonderful wealth of resources seems to have everything in it and only needs intelligent effort to build up a great community. A GAZETTE reporter was handed a piece of peculiar looking ore at Lovelock yesterday by the veteran prospector, Phil Skewes, found by George Lovelock and himself about 35 miles east of that place and which they believe contains a large per cent. of tin and some zinc. There has been immense amount of prospecting done in those mountains, and the whole State will feel the good effect of the work of the hardy rustlers of the mountain ranges.

## BREVITIES.

## Local and General Intelligence.

Every one be sure and go to the Chestnut Social; it will be great fun.

Nevada produced and shipped out of precious metals \$9,240,536 during the year 1890.

Don't forget the social dance at Armory Hall on Saturday evening, January 17th.

The Carson Tribune has entered upon volume thirty-six with bright prospects ahead.

Delightful refreshments served at the Chestnut Social at Mrs. W. D. Phillips—only 25 cents.

The man with a good resolution is beginning to look for a repair shop. If he will call on Marcus Frederick he needn't go any further.

Five car loads of beef cattle were shipped from here this morning, to M. Brandenstein & Co., San Francisco. They came from Winnemucca.

The Tahoe Ice Company of Truckee will put up about 20,000 tons of ice this season. They have been housing it at the rate of nearly 2,500 tons daily.

The latest on dit in San Francisco is that the Fred. Sharons have gone East to settle up, close out the New York residence and come back to their native heath "for good."

The Sacramento Bee advocates the passage of a law by the California Legislature to license gambling. And so it seems that Nevada is not the only benighted land under the sun.

The members of the Young Ladies Guild will give a Chestnut Social at the residence of Mrs. W. D. Phillips next Tuesday evening, January 20th, commencing at 8 o'clock. The expense of all is requested. Admission, 25 cts.

The exports of silver during the past year to Japan, China, the Straits, etc., have been as follows: From London, \$41,173,444; from San Francisco, \$6,800,865. Total, \$47,974,309, as against \$57,654,712 in 1889. Pounds sterling estimated at \$4.84.

Members of the Third House are daily wending their way towards Nevada. "of hope deferred that maketh the heart sick," and will probably soon be returning, and the combinations that must defeat some of them.

Members of the Legislature will find at John Sunderland's the most complete stock of gentlemen's furnishing goods that is kept by any one merchant in Nevada. Fine underwear of lamb's wool, medicated woolen socks, and the latest styles in shirts, collars, cuffs and neckwear, with Stetson hats and the finest footwear, is only a starter for the immense stock of clothing which he carries.

## JACK DEMPSEY'S NOSE.

It Was Broken by Fitzsimmons and He Is Laid Up in Bed.

Charley Kingsley of San Francisco received a telegram from Mose Gunst, the cigar man, stating that Jack Dempsey's nose is broken and his ribs are pretty badly hurt. Dempsey, who is under the care of a physician, states that he acknowledges Fitzsimmons is his master.

"I was not in it," was Dempsey's own words.

As a result of the New Orleans fight nearly every first class restaurant in the town has received orders for set dinner. It is certain that more diners, hats, bottles of wine and boxes of cigars have been lost and won by Fitzsimmons's victory than on any fight that has ever taken place. The bookmakers did a good night's work. They bet more money against Dempsey by two to one than they had upon Fitzsimmons.

## ANOTHER OPINION.

What Stephen T. Gay Says Would be the Most Beneficial Law.

The following letter was received this morning:

OFFICE SOUTHERN PACIFIC CO.,

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 16.

Mr. Allan C. Bragg, Gazette Office, Reno, Nev.—DEAR SIR:

In reply to yours of the 10th inst., containing your inquiry as follows:

"What, in your judgment, would be the most beneficial law for the incoming Legislature to pass for the benefit of Nevada?"

In my opinion the most beneficial legislation will be that which reduces the State and county expenses to a point consistent with your population and resources.

Yours truly,

S. T. GAGE.

## A Protection to Girls.

If the postmasters throughout the country should enforce the law in regard to the delivery of letters to parties through the postoffice, all girls under eighteen and boys under twenty-one years of age couldn't get letters from the postoffice unless by order of the parents or guardians. Here is the law as it reads: "All letters addressed to girls under eighteen or boys under twenty-one years of age shall be placed in the care of the parents or guardians."

## Confirmed.

The favorable impression produced on the first appearance of the agreeable fruit remedy Syrup of Figs a few years ago has been more than confirmed by the pleasant experience of all who have used it, and the success of the proprietors and manufacturers, the California Fig Syrup Company.

## Notice.

All parties indebted to the late firm of Shoemaker & Ruth will please call and settle their accounts without delay—as the business of said firm must be closed.

## The Great Spring Medicine.

It will be gratifying to all who realize the vital necessity of purifying the blood, to know that Hibbard's Rheumatic Syrup can be relied upon as a blood medicine. Mr. B. C. Robinson, of Marshall, Mich., says: "I have suffered intensely from biliousness and rheumatism for over three years and had tried so many remedies that I had lost all faith. Hearing of Hibbard's Rheumatic Syrup I bought a bottle and found it helped me. I have now used four bottles, and it has restored my liver and kidneys to healthy action, and done more to purify my blood than anything I have ever taken. I am pleased to recommend it as a wonderful blood medicine."

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Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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## PERSONALS.

Hon. T. H. George, of Lander county was among the departures for Carson this morning.

Hon. A. B. Millet of Nye county arrived last night and passed on to Carson this morning.

Mrs. F. McRae and child left last night on a visit to San Francisco and Los Angeles friends.

Jake Kilrain, the pugilist, and Muldoon, the wrestler, left New Orleans for San Francisco to-day.

Senator C. H. Spruill, of Elko county, arrived last night, and went on to Carson this morning.

Hon. R. H. Kinney, and the Hon. R. C. Leeper, of Washoe's delegation, left for Carson this morning.

Hon. W. E. Sharon of Virginia City passed through from San Francisco, homeward bound this morning.

Senator J. B. Gallagher of Lyon county, arrived from San Francisco this morning, and went on to Carson.

Senator D. B. Williams of Elko county, with his wife arrived last night, and passed on to Carson this morning.

Hon. John Ainley of Elko county, with his daughter arrived last night, and went through to Carson this morning.

Miss Belle O'Leary, of Galena, Lander county, and a graduate of Mt. St. Mary's Academy, passed through to Carson this morning.

W. H. A. Pike, of Wadsworth now, and Churchill County when at home, was in Reno last night, interviewing the passing Honorables.

Nathan Rhine, the merchant and banker of Independence, Leno county, California, passed through for San Francisco last night.

## CHURCH NOTICES.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Subject of sermon at 11 A. M. to-morrow, "The Healer, Christ."—THOMAS MACGILL, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Services morning and evening at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Preaching by the Pastor. Sunday school at 12:15. Everybody welcome at these services.

Services will be conducted in the M. E. Church to-morrow as follows: Class meeting at 10 A. M.; preaching at 11 A. M.; subject: "Christ's reply to Peter," text, "Blessed art thou, Simon Bar-jona; for flesh and blood hath not revealed it unto thee, but my Father which is in Heaven, etc." Sunday school at 12:15 P. M.; Loyal Legion at 4 P. M.; Epworth League at 6 P. M.; Preaching at 7 P. M.; text, "Then how wilt Thou do in the swelling of Jordan?" If you do not attend any other church, come and welcome.—JAMES H. N. WILLIAMS, Pastor.

## A Good Idea.

The Genoa Courier says: "Senator Folsom and Assemblyman Hansen will meet their constituents at the Courthouse in Genoa, Saturday evening, the 24th, to discuss Legislative measures."

It is a good idea for the people and their representatives to get together and talk over the needs of the community.

## A Dog on Shame.

Why don't the city authorities enforce the dog ordinance? There are about 10,000 dogs, more or less, running the streets, frightening teams, fighting and in other ways violating the peace and quiet of the town. If every dog or dog owner paid the tax as required by law, it would yield quite an income. Constable Upson should send out his dog catcher.

## Disorders which Affect the Kidneys.

Are among the most formidable known. Diabetes, Bright's disease, gravel and other complaints of the urinary organs are not ordinarily cured in severe cases, but they may be averted by timely medication. A useful stimulant of the urinary glands has been found in Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a medicine which not only affords the requisite stimulus when they become inactive, but increases their vigor and excretive power. By increasing the activity of the kidneys and bladder, this medicine has the additional effect of expelling from the blood impurities which it is the peculiar office of these organs to eliminate and pass off. The bitters is also a purifier and strengthener of the stomach and a matchless remedy for biliousness and fever and ague. It counteracts a tendency to premature decay, and sustains and comforts the aged and infirm.

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# FIFTY CENTS PER WEEK.

All classes of legitimate advertisements, not exceeding six lines, inserted in this column for fifty cents per week.

**For Sale.**  
A HALF INTEREST IN THE VERDI Hotel business for sale cheap. A chance for a man of moderate capital. Inquire of H. H. Beck or P. B. Constock, Reno, Jan 14/19.

**For Sale.**  
A SIAM DESIROUS OF LEAVING RENO. I offer my residence on the south side for sale at a bargain. For further information inquire of H. L. W. Knox on premises, Jan 14/19.

**Short Hand Taught.**  
APPLICANTS CAN ACQUIRE A KNOWLEDGE OF SHORT HAND IN THREE MONTHS, so that they can write from 8 to 100 words per minute, by my method. For further particulars apply to E. Lillian True, 3 doors above Wieland's on First street, Jan 14/19.

**Wanted.**  
A COMPETENT MAN AND WIFE wishes a place on a ranch, man a good farmer and teamster, wife a fine cook and housekeeper. Reference given. Jan 14/19.

**Assaying.**  
HAVING FIFTY FIVE AN OUNCE OFFICE at my home, cor. 7th and Center streets, I am now prepared to do all kinds of assaying at reasonable rates for good work. Samples left there or at Hodgkinson's drug store will receive immediate attention. Jan 14/19.

**Horse Clipping.**  
WE ARE PREPARED TO DO HORSE clipping in three styles, in the most modern and do it in a workman-like manner. Our machine works like a charm. GRAVES & STEVENS, Dec 17/18.

**House to Rent.**  
A DWELLING IN CONVENIENT location to the school house, with all modern conveniences, to let. Inquire at the Monarch saloon. Dec 17/18.

**Shorthand Instruction.**  
HAVING COMPLETED A COURSE IN shorthand, I am prepared to give instructions in the same. The electric system is the only system that can be learned in from four to six months. Terms reasonable. For further particulars, address P. O. box 337, Reno, Nev. H. E. JOY, Nov 18/18.

**Stray.**  
CAME TO MY PREMISES ABOUT THE 10th of Oct. one sorrel horse, four years old, white strip in face and white hind feet. Owner will reward property and pay charges. Jan 14/19.

**Wanted.**  
EVERYBODY TO CALL AT THE PALACE Bakery and get a 5 pound bag of candy for nothing—if they can acquaint us with any candy store between Sacramento and Ogden, having such a supply of candies as ours. Jan 14/19.

**For Rent.**  
A NEARLY LOCATED DWELLING house of five rooms. Inquire of J. S. Shoemaker. Dec 17/18.

**For Sale.**  
MY RESIDENCE ON SIERRA STREET immediately north of the Opera House, one of the most desirable places in town and well furnished with all modern improvements. Dec 17/18.

**For Sale.**  
A FINE FAMILY CARRIAGE HORSE, phaeton and harness for sale very cheap. Apply at this office at once. Dec 17/18.

**Choice Residence Property.**  
FOR SALE, ONE HALF MILE FROM the Railroad Depot and one-fourth mile from the State University. Water with the property. If you wish to make a home and see me. Dec 17/18.

**Brookline Steam Candy Factory.**  
THE FIRST CANDY FACTORY IN Reno. Fresh candy every hour. Call and get prices of small quantities or by the barrel. Wholesale prices same as San Francisco. Jan 14/19.

## Delinquent Notice.

UNION DITCH COMPANY—LOCATION of property, Truckee Meadows, Washoe County, Nevada, place of business, Reno, Nevada. NOTICE—There are delinquent upon the following described stock, on account of Assessment heretofore levied, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders as follows:

NAME	NO. SH'S AMT.	NO. SH'S AMT.
J. P. Winfrey	100	\$55.00
Ross Jones	60	33.00
James Sullivan	200	110.00
J. M. Blanchard	40	22.00
A. J. Smith	100	55.00
Frank Marino	20	11.00
James Carnow	175	96.25
Henry Stephens	145	79.75
Geo. Ulyatt	150	82.50
William Perkins	30	16.50

And in accordance with law and an order of the Board of Trustees, so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the Company, at the Courthouse, in Reno, on Saturday, the 14th day of February, 1891,

at the hour of one o'clock p. m., of that day, to pay such delinquent assessment, cost of advertising and expense of sale.

By order of the Trustees, T. V. JULIEN, Secretary, Reno, Jan. 12, 1891. (td)

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**OFFICE—CORNER THIRD AND RAIL** street, Reno, Nevada. The company incorporated March 12, 1889 and is prepared to fill all orders for building material.

Latest style of Eastlake doors and finish. We also do turning and scroll sawing, and manufacture doors, windows, blinds, etc. We also manufacture a kind of common and clear lumber. Give us a call. Jan 14/19.

**Lady Canvassers Wanted!**  
FOR RENO AND VICINITY, ALSO ONE for every city in Nevada, for a ready-made article, only used by ladies. Good commission paid. Address: R. HESSE, 101 West Springfield Street, Boston, Mass. Dec 17/18.

**A Fine Opportunity.**  
A VALUABLE RANCH OF 1,500 ACRES and fine summer range, with 500 head of hay and head of fine horses and 250 head of graded cattle for sale at a great bargain. Apply at this office. Dec 17/18.

Big 6 is acknowledged the best remedy for Gonorrhea. The only safe remedy. Guaranteed to cure. For particulars, see advertisement. Sold by Druggists. Price \$1.00.

Mr. E. W. D. STONER, M.D., DENTIST, 111 E. A. A. Sold by Druggists. Price \$1.00.

# MISCELLANEOUS.



The equivalent, in English money, of \$2,000 was once offered by an old lady in London for the return of a favorite cat which had strayed or been stolen. People called her a "crank," and perhaps she was. It is unfortunate that one of the gentler sex should ever gain this title, yet many do. It is, however, frequently not their fault. Often functional derangements will apparently change a woman's entire nature. Don't blame such sufferers if they are "cranky," but tell them to use Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which is an infallible remedy for "female weakness." Favorite Prescription has cured thousands of poor, bed-ridden suffering women of "female weakness," painful irregularities, ulcerations, organic displacements and kindred ailments too numerous to mention. It is the only medicine for women, sold by druggists, under a positive guarantee that it will, in every case, give satisfaction or the price (\$1.00) will be refunded.

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Purely Vegetable and Perfectly Harmless. Unequaled as a Liver Pill. Small, Sweet, Pleasant to Take. One Tiny, Sugar-coated Pellet a Dose. Cures Sick Headache, Biliousness, Indigestion, Biliary Attacks, and all derangements of the Stomach and Bowels. 25 cents a vial, by druggists.

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IS SOLD ON A POSITIVE GUARANTEE to cure any form of nervous or generative disease, whether arising from the excessive use of stimulants, Tobacco or Opium, or through youthful indiscretion, over-indulgence, etc., such as Loss of Brain Power, Wakefulness, Beating Down Pain in the Back, Seminal Weakness, Hysteria, Nervous Prostration, Nocturnal Emissions, Gonorrhea, Discharges, Weak Memory, Loss of Power and Impotency, which if neglected often lead to premature old age and insanity. Price, \$1 a box; 6 boxes for \$5. Send by mail on receipt of price.

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Dr. M. C. West's nerve and brain treatment, a guaranteed specific for Hysteria, Dizziness, Convulsions, Fits, Nervous Neuralgia, Headache, Nervous Prostration, caused by the use of alcohol or tobacco, Wakefulness, Mental depression, Softening of the Brain, resulting in insanity and leading to misery, decay and death, Premature Old Age, Barrenness, Loss of Power in either sex, Involuntary Losses and Seminal Emissions caused by over-exertion of the Brain, or abuse of over-indulgence. Each box contains one month's treatment, \$1.00 a box, or six boxes for \$5.00, sent by mail prepaid on receipt of price.

We guarantee six Boxes To cure any case. With each order received by us for six boxes, accompanied with \$3.00, we will send the purchaser our written guarantee to refund the money if the treatment does not effect a cure. Guarantees issued only by Wm. Pininger, druggist, Reno.

**\$500 Reward.** We will pay the above reward for any case of Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Indigestion, or Constipation or Costiveness we cannot cure with West's Vegetable Liver Pills, when the directions are strictly complied with. They are purely vegetable, and never fail to give satisfaction. Sugar coated. Large boxes, containing 100 pills, 50 cents. Beware of counterfeits and imitations. For sale by Wm. Pininger, druggist, Reno Nov 15/18.

**SOCIETY MEETING**

**A. O. U. W.**

WASHINGTON LODGE, No. 25, A. O. U. W., meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in their hall in Thompson's new building on Virginia Street, between First and Second streets. J. K. Scaman, M. W., S. C. SHEARER, Recorder. Jan 14/19.

**Reno Chapter No. 7, R. A. M.**

THE STATED CONVOCACTIONS OF RENO Chapter No. 7, R. A. M., are held at Masonic Hall on the evening of the first Thursday of each month, commencing at 8 o'clock sharp. All sojourning companions in good standing are fraternally invited to attend. By order of the R. E. P. W. L. BECHTEL, Secretary.

# TOO OLD.

Atelove—how you loved me. How you hugged me with delight, And you never let me go. Baggins of me pennies bright—And you kept it up till sixteen—Though your kisses lapsed to few. And at last you ceased to hug me. As you fondly used to do. Then they put you in long dresses, And your hugs and kisses dear Were denied me—you were aged—I was aged, too, I fear. How I sat by your side and watched you As they used to come and go; You were growing to a woman, I was growing old and slow. But it seems the heart pulsating In my bosom turned to youth; Then it throbbed away its sadness When I found I'd learned the truth. He was younger, he was fairer, And I think, moreover, bolder, And he won what fates denied me, Just because I was too old. —H. S. Keller, in West Shore.

## A SUBSTITUTE.

How He Cleared the Sky of Its Dark Clouds for Nettie.

We lived in the little village of Oberon. At least our house was in the village, and the forty-acre farm ran back to the banks of Lash creek, which was our southern boundary.

Our family consisted of father, mother, brother Ralph, and me. Ralph enlisted in a company of infantry, organized about Oberon in 1861, though he was only twenty years of age. No one thought the war would last long, and father said it was the duty of all loyal citizens to assist in putting down the rebellion. So we felt proud of our Ralph when he bade us good-by, and the company marched out of town in their new blue uniforms, and with their glittering muskets, though tears were in all our eyes. "Don't cry," said father, "Ralph will be back by harvest time."

But Ralph wasn't back for a year, and when he did come he had left one arm behind him on the battle-field. His soldier days were over. It was in the spring of '62, and I was just seventeen years old.

Ralph's constitution was very much shattered, and it was fully a year before he could do any work. Then, of course, he couldn't do much on the farm, so father mortgaged it for five hundred dollars and sent Ralph to Cincinnati to study medicine. He said: "My boy must have work that can be done with one arm."

Ralph had been gone less than three months when the first draft was made, and father was drafted. He was just within the limit, as he had not quite completed his forty-fifth year. He couldn't go and leave no one at home but mother and me; so he found a substitute, and to pay him mortgaged the farm for five hundred dollars more.

The two debts worried father greatly. A man named Joel Griffin, who lived in the village, held both mortgages. He was the owner of a grist-mill, and it was said that he made most of his money by robbing the farmers in taking toll. He was as old as father, and a dried-up little man, always winking and blinking. I used to cross the road to keep from meeting him, but he seemed to try to meet me; and he would put out his hand, which, of course, I couldn't refuse to take.

"Good-morning, Miss Nettie; you look positively charming this morning; you do, indeed. Do you know, Miss Nettie, if I wasn't so old I'd be looking for a wife; I would, indeed. Yes, and I wouldn't look far, Miss Nettie; no, I wouldn't look far."

The mortgages were drawn for one year. Griffin had told father he wouldn't loan the money for a longer term, but that if the interest was paid promptly he would take new notes and extend the mortgage another year.

Father died before the first mortgage fell due, three months after engaging the substitute. Ralph came home to the funeral, and remained only about two weeks. He spoke of giving up his studies and trying to work the farm, but neither mother nor I would listen to that.

"Why, how will you ever manage to meet those mortgages?" asked Ralph. "I don't know, Ralph," mother had replied, "but the Lord will provide a way."

"When are they due?" inquired Ralph. Mother got out father's account-book. The first was due May 17, 1864, the second July 25, 1864.

"It will be nearly two years yet," said Ralph, "before I can hope for a diploma, and it will take some time to build up a practice. I trust that if we can manage till then our troubles will be over."

Ralph went back. In January there was another draft which took our hired man, John Guber, and mother and I were left alone on the farm. About a week after John Guber had been drafted I was sitting in the front room sewing when I heard a step on the piazza, and as I looked out I saw a young man stepping up to the front door. I opened the door when he knocked. "Is this the Morris farm?" he asked.

"It is," I replied.

"I am looking for work," said he, "and heard that the hired man here had been drafted, and I thought you might want another."

"I'll call mother," said I; "come in," and I gave him a chair. Mother came in pretty soon and said: "Yes, we do need a hired man if any one ever did, for we're all alone on the farm with horses, and cattle, and hogs to look after, and a crop to put in in the spring—that is, if we don't lose the farm—but you don't look as if you could do farm work. How old are you?"

"Twenty-three," was the answer. "What is your name?" said mother.

"George Marvin," he replied. "I haven't been in the country long. My father was killed in the service; my mother has since died. My only sister is living with an uncle in Bradford. I enlisted, but the examining physicians wouldn't accept me. They said something was wrong with my lungs, but I don't believe it. I guess I look so white from being in the house so much. I've been writing a book for the last three months, and now I want outdoor exercise."

"Writing a fiddlestick!" said mother; "you're throwing away your time. Can you milk cows?"

"I can try," said George. "Well, that's something," said mother. "Nettie can show you how. You or 'Nettie can show you how. You can stay, but I can't tell what we can

# pay you yet till we see what you can do."

So George Marvin became our hired man. I liked George from the first, but he didn't know much about farm work, though he soon got used to it, and it brought color into his cheeks.

Joel Griffin had been at our house pretty often since father's death, though I generally managed to escape from the room and leave him to talk with mother. I thought he was uneasy about his money. One evening after he had gone mother called me in and said: "Nettie, what do you think? All our troubles are at an end—mortgages paid and all."

"Why, mother, how is that?" said I. "Girl," said mother, "you don't know your good fortune. Joel Griffin has asked me for your hand."

"And what did you answer him, mother?"

"Answer him," said mother, "how could I answer him but one way? I gave my consent, and I told him your answer would probably be the same as mine, and he's coming to-morrow night for your answer. He says he'll release both the mortgages if you'll become his wife."

"Well," said I, "I never will, that's sure. I hate him."

"You've got every thing in your own hands," said mother. "You can save this property to yourself and Ralph and me in my old age, insure your brother's finishing his studies and getting his diploma. You know with one arm he never could succeed in life without a profession. You can marry a man who loves you, and is able to give you a good home, and can take care of you, or you can see us all homeless in the street. Besides," she added, "you love no one else, do you?"

"I don't know," said I, "but I don't love Joel Griffin, and he's old enough to be my father besides."

"Well," said mother, "you know the result if you refuse him," and she left the room.

Sure enough the next evening Joel was there. Mother called me in and left the room.

"Miss Nettie," said Joel, "your mother has probably told you that I want to marry you. I have had that notion for some time, but you always seemed to try and keep out of my way. Now, your mother has given her consent, and if you say yes I'll get the license to-morrow."

"I don't love you, Mr. Griffin," said I. "Well, that doesn't make any difference," said he, "probably in time you will. You know those mortgages are due in May and July, and I'll release them both if you'll marry me."

"Suppose I don't marry you?" said I. "Why, then," said he, "of course, you can't expect any favors from me. The mortgages will have to be paid when they're due, or I'll have to foreclose and sell you out."

The evening of the 1st of April Joel came, and when mother called me into the room he said: "Well, Nettie, have you decided?" He didn't even wait for mother to go out.

"Yes, I have decided," said I. "What is your decision?"

"If either mortgage is not paid when it is due," said I, "I will marry you the next day."

Time passed on, so fast! The evening of the 1st of May I was sitting in the front room, thinking how near the 17th of May was, and what a fate awaited me, for I knew there was no help for it. I must either marry Joel or we must lose our home. George came in, and found me crying.

"Now, Miss Nettie," said he, "please tell me your troubles."

"George, you can do no good."

"Please tell me, for you are worrying yourself to death over something, and you can't tell but I may be of some use."

"I told him all—of the power of Joel Griffin, and how I loathed him."

"The infernal scoundrel!" said George. "You shall never marry him."

"I'll have to, George," said I, "or we'll lose our home. I can't see mother homeless in her old age, and Ralph, too, would have to give up his profession."

George sat still a moment; then he said: "Don't worry; take things easy. Something tells me you will never marry Joel Griffin. The 10th of May, I believe, will rescue you."

Time sped on rapidly till the 10th of May. George went to the county seat early that morning. About five o'clock in the evening I heard a step on the piazza and looked out of the window. It was George Marvin, in a uniform of blue.

"What!" I asked him, "have you deserted us in our trouble and enlisted?" And I knew the tears sprung to my eyes.

"No," said George. "And I never will desert you, though I am now a Union soldier. There was another draft to-day and Jerome Harvey, the banker, was drafted. For twelve hundred dollars I became his substitute. This time, thank God, they accepted me. Here, Nettie, take this envelope. It's all there. Pay off the mortgage, and be free."

I needn't tell you that George Marvin became Joel Griffin's substitute, and my name has been Nettie Marvin many years. Ralph married George's sister Nell. Now Oberon has many thousand inhabitants. Ralph is its leading physician and my George is its leading lawyer. George's book was a success. Mother is living yet on the old homestead, though the city has spread all over the old farm that was saved by my substitute.—H. E. Scott, in Chicago News.

A MAN IN HIS KNOW-UP. A German of Boston, well-known at the South End, recently took a trip to the Fatherland. There he died. While living he turned the scale at 357 pounds. His body was cremated and the remains, weighing six ounces, were enclosed in an envelope and sent to his family in Boston by mail.

## THE POINT.

From a Catholic Arch Bishop down to the poorest of the poor all testify, not only to the virtues of

**ST. JACOBS OIL,**  
The Great Remedy For Pain, but to its superiority over all other remedies, expressed thus:

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